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Alpha Day at the Capitol.

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*Whereas, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, which has the distinction of being the first sorority established by African American college women, was founded at Howard University in Washington, D.C., in 1908 and has expanded internationally to 850 chapters;*

*Whereas, Indiana hosts 22 of these chapters located on college and university campuses and has active alumnae groups in communities throughout the state;*

*Whereas, Alpha Kappa Alpha is committed to community service and actively contributes to the educational, civic, and social life of Indiana's citizens;*

*Whereas, Alumnae chapters encourage their members to become involved community volunteers in one of their primary service components that include education, health, the economy, arts, and family;*

*Whereas, Alpha Kappa Alpha provides community support through service initiatives identified in the sorority's international platform Launching New Dimensions of Service as outlined by Dorothy Buckhanan Wilson, International President;*

*Whereas, Alpha Kappa Alpha plans to accomplish this goal through initiatives like Emerging Young Leaders, Alzheimer's*



*disease and caregiver support, mental health, childhood hunger, fiscal responsibility, and environmental ownership and global impact;*

*Whereas, Alpha Kappa Alpha is dedicated to serving all mankind and has improved the lives of many people throughout the years; and*

*Whereas, This great sisterhood has established a nationally recognized program known as Alpha Kappa Alpha Day at the Capitol: Therefore,*

*Be it resolved by the House of Representatives  
of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana,  
the Senate concurring:*

- 1       SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly recognizes Central
- 2       Regional Director, Kathy A. Walker-Steele; State Connection Chair,
- 3       Vanessa J. Summers; and members of the Alpha Kappa Alpha Day at
- 4       the Capitol for all the good work they accomplish.
- 5       SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of
- 6       Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to Central Regional
- 7       Director, Kathy A. Walker-Steele; State Connection Chair, Vanessa J.
- 8       Summers; and members of the Alpha Kappa Alpha Day at the Capitol.

